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EXAMINATION REPORT OF

STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION LICENSE BRANCH NUMBER 124 ROCHESTER, INDIANA

January 1, 2003 to December 31, 2003



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# OFFICIALS

Office	<u>Official</u>	<u>Term</u>
Chairman, Bureau of Motor Vehicles Commission	Mr. Gerald Coleman Ms. Mary DePrez	01-06-02 to 02-29-04 03-01-04 to 01-05-05
Branch Manager	Mrs. Nancy Day Ms. Beth Foster (Interim)	01-01-03 to 09-05-04 09-06-04 to 12-31-04



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#### INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

TO: THE OFFICIALS OF THE STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION

We have examined the Schedule of Collections and Distributions of the State Bureau of Motor Vehicles Commission License Branch Number 124 (Branch) for the period of January 1, 2003, to December 31, 2003. The Branch's management is responsible for the schedule. Our responsibility is to express an opinion based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the Schedule of Collections and Distributions and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the schedule referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the cash transactions of the Branch for the year ended December 31, 2003, based on the criteria set forth in the uniform compliance guidelines established by the Indiana State Board of Accounts.

STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTS

October 13, 2004

# STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION LICENSE BRANCH NUMBER 124 ROCHESTER, INDIANA SCHEDULE OF COLLECTIONS AND DISTRIBUTIONS January 1, 2003 to December 31, 2003

	Amount
Collections: Registrations Titles Drivers Licenses Watercraft Miscellaneous	\$ 2,404,261 397,678 87,630 88,894 1,024
Total	\$ 2,979,487
Distributions: State Fees County Tax Commission Fees	\$ 1,255,998 1,436,330 287,159
Total	\$ 2,979,487

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the schedule.

# STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION LICENSE BRANCH NUMBER 124 ROCHESTER, INDIANA NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF COLLECTIONS AND DISTRIBUTIONS

#### Note 1. Introduction

The Motor Vehicles Commission was created to manage the motor vehicle license branches. The Bureau of Motor Vehicles is a separate state agency which provides support services to the Commission controlled license branches. The license branches collect fees which fund the Motor Vehicles Commission. The license branches collect and forward county taxes (excise tax, wheel tax, and surtax) and state fees. The Commission has one contractual branch that is administered by an individual contractor according to Bureau policies. The Commission has developed a mobile license branch to serve the need of CDL license issuance and other special needs as they arise.

#### Note 2. Collections and Distributions

Each branch collects fees and taxes when vehicle and watercraft registrations, titles and drivers licenses are sold. Fees are uniform throughout the state. The following taxes are collected by the branches: excise tax, surtax, wheel tax, and use tax.

The total daily collections are deposited to a single bank account. From this account the collections are distributed to separate bank accounts which are not controlled by the license branch and belong to the state, county and Bureau of Motor Vehicles Commission.

#### Note 3. Banking System

The Bureau of Motor Vehicles Commission has entered into an agreement with Bank One for a cash concentration system. The system utilizes a series of individual noninterest bearing accounts (clearing accounts) from which all fees and taxes are transferred.

# STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION LICENSE BRANCH NUMBER 124 ROCHESTER, INDIANA STATISTICAL INFORMATION January 1, 2003 to December 31, 2003

Transactions Processed	Quantity
Vehicle Registrations:	
Passenger	11,983
Motorcycle	621
RV (Housecar)	396
Light Truck	6,790
Other Truck	298
Farm Truck	296
Tractor	113
Trailer	2,806
Semi-Trailer	192
School and Church Bus	13
Other	992
Total Vehicle Registrations	24,500
Drivers Licenses and Permits:	
Drivers Licenses/Learners Permits	3,754
CDL Licenses/CDL Permits	308
Placards	561
Other	2,240
	2,210
Total Drivers Licenses and Permits	6,863
Titles:	
Vehicles	7,532
Watercraft	
WaterCraft	162
Total Titles	7,694
Total Fillion	7,004
Total Waterproft Degistrations	1 700
Total Watercraft Registrations	1,738

### STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION LICENSE BRANCH NUMBER 124 ROCHESTER, INDIANA EXAMINATION RESULTS AND COMMENTS

#### ACCOUNTABLE ITEMS

The following schedule details missing items revealed during a comparison of actual inventory of accountable items to the Open Inventory Report of the State Bureau of Motor Vehicles at December 31, 2003. No evidence was found to indicate these items have been sold.

Year	Plate Type	Plate Number
2003	Municipal	63254
2007	Passenger	25A3760
2007	Passenger	52U891
2007	Passenger	52U892
2007	Passenger	52U893
2007	Passenger	52U894
2007	Passenger	52U895

A listing of the items that are to be accounted for to the State Board of Accounts is included in the Branch Operations Policies and Procedures Manual. (Branch Operations Policies and Procedures Manual, Supplies and Equipment Chapter)

#### REDECLARED WEIGHT

Truck 9,000 plate 22206V could not be found in the Hold for Audit Inventory. This plate had been replaced with Truck 16,000 plate 20146C in a reweight transaction.

When a plate has been replaced due to reweighting, the new registration stub/receipt should be attached to the original registration (photocopy or BOSS inquiry) and placed with the plate in the Hold for Audit items. (Branch Operations Policies and Procedures Manual, Branch Filing Procedures Chapter)

## STATE BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES COMMISSION LICENSE BRANCH NUMBER 124 ROCHESTER, INDIANA EXIT CONFERENCE

The contents of this report were discussed on October 13, 2004, with Ms. Beth Foster, Interim Branch Manager. The official concurred with our findings.